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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL	Application Number:	09/870,291
	Filing Date:	May 30, 2001
	First Named Inventor:	J.E. Bish et al.
	Group Art Unit:	2115
	Examiner Name:	Thomas C. Lee
	Atty Docket Number:	TUC920000096US1

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ____.

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____.

iii. ☐ Other ____.

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply, 13 pages

ii. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form

iii. ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure - 2 attached references

2. Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Fee of \$ ____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.)

b. ☐ Other ____.

3. Fees

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 09-0449.

i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

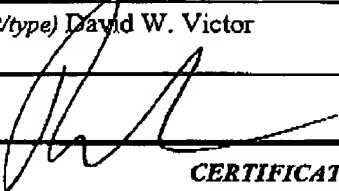
ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☒ Charge Any Deficiency.

b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ ____ is enclosed.

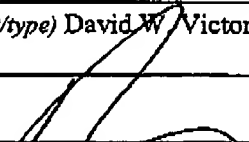
c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed) for extending One Month Extension of Time to Two Month Extension.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name (print/type) David W. Victor	Registration No. Registration No. 39,867
Signature 	Date December 10, 2004

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION

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<p>METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)</p> <p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees and/or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account Number: 09-0449 <input type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment enclosed: <input type="checkbox"/> Ck. No. _____ for \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Ck. No. _____ for \$40 <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card Approval for _____</p> <p>FEE CALCULATION</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> BASIC FILING FEE Utility Filing Fee: Large Entity Fee Code 1011 \$300.00</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> UTILITY SEARCH FEE \$500.00</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> UTILITY EXAMINATION FEE \$200.00</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA CLAIMS FEES Total Claims ____ - 20* x \$50= \$ ____ Ind. Claims ____ - 3* x \$200= \$ ____ Multiple Dependent ____ x \$360= \$ ____</p> <p>Subtotal \$ ____</p> <p>*(or number previously paid for)</p>	<p>FEE CALCULATION (continued)</p> <p>3. ADDITIONAL FEES (large entity)</p> <table> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge- late filing fee or oath</td><td>\$130</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge- late provisional filing fee or cover sheet</td><td>\$50</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Non-English specification</td><td>\$130</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> International type search report</td><td>\$40</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Requesting publication of SIR prior to action</td><td>\$920</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Requesting publication of SIR after action</td><td>\$1840</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- first month</td><td>\$120</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- second month</td><td>\$450</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- third month</td><td>\$1020</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- fourth month</td><td>\$1590</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- fifth month</td><td>\$2160</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal</td><td>\$500</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Brief in Support of Appeal</td><td>\$500</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Request for Oral Hearing</td><td>\$1000</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Utility issue fee</td><td>\$1400</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Petition to revive (unavoidable)</td><td>\$500</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Petition to revive (unintentional)</td><td>\$1500</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Petitions to the Commissioner</td><td>\$130</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Petitions related to provisional applications</td><td>\$50</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Submission of Information Disclosure Statement</td><td>\$180</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Recordation of Assignment</td><td>\$40</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Submission after final (37 CFR 1.129(a))</td><td>\$790</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Request for Continued Examination (RCE)</td><td>\$790</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Other:</td><td></td></tr> </table> <p>SUBTOTAL \$ 790</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge- late filing fee or oath	\$130	<input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge- late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$50	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-English specification	\$130	<input type="checkbox"/> International type search report	\$40	<input type="checkbox"/> Requesting publication of SIR prior to action	\$920	<input type="checkbox"/> Requesting publication of SIR after action	\$1840	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- first month	\$120	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- second month	\$450	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- third month	\$1020	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- fourth month	\$1590	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply- fifth month	\$2160	<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal	\$500	<input type="checkbox"/> Brief in Support of Appeal	\$500	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Oral Hearing	\$1000	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility issue fee	\$1400	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to revive (unavoidable)	\$500	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to revive (unintentional)	\$1500	<input type="checkbox"/> Petitions to the Commissioner	\$130	<input type="checkbox"/> Petitions related to provisional applications	\$50	<input type="checkbox"/> Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	\$180	<input type="checkbox"/> Recordation of Assignment	\$40	<input type="checkbox"/> Submission after final (37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$790	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	\$790	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	
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